

Life Cycles and Reproduction — Cheat Sheet

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LIFE CYCLES AND REPRODUCTION

1. Life cycle: born → grow → reproduce → repeat.
2. Metamorphosis: egg → larva → pupa → adult (insects); egg → tadpole → frog.
3. Mammals give birth to live young that grow into adults.
4. Offspring inherit features but vary — the basis of evolution.

Example: butterfly egg → caterpillar → chrysalis → butterfly.